NUWC Golf League Bulletin – 1st Half Week #3 24 April, 2014

Place	Team	1 st Half Pts	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	2	121	40.5	34.5	46						
2	7	117	42.5	37	37.5						
3	3	116.5	36.0	46.0	34.5						
4	5	114.5	42.0	37.5	35						
5	1	114	31.5	45.5	37						
6	9	109.5	38.5	35.0	36						
7	6	107.5	29.5	36.0	42						
8	4	89.5	33.5	26.0	30						
9	8	82.5	30.0	26.5	26						

= Indicates Bye Week. The Bye Week team receives 36 points

Birdie (or Better)Report:

Birdie Report					
Name	Hole Number				
Schwab	4				
Walsh	7				

Both of these birds were actually into the wind!

WEEKLY LOW SCORES:

LOW GROSS score for THIS WEEK: Dan Schwab, Dale Dandrea (43)

LOW NET scores for THIS WEEK:

Group	Name	Team	Gross Score	Net Score	
Α	Dale Dandrea	5	43	35	
В	Sue Pettit	3	50	37	
С	Charlie Walsh	8	48	34	
	Lawrence Gallagher	SUB	50		
D	Tom Wilusz	1	51	35	

1st Half LOW SCORES:

LOW GROSS score for the FIRST HALF: Egan, Casey, Berube* (42) *Berube shot a 42 in week 2 but was inadvertently overlooked by the junior scribe. Rick must have pissed him off.....you know....anger issues!

Group	Name	Team	Gross Score	Net Score	
Α	Chris Egan	1	42	32	
В	Taylor Velasco	5	46	35	
С	Charlie Walsh	8	48	34	
D	Tom Wilusz	1	51	35	

LOW NET scores for THE FIRST HALF:

Note: Subs are ineligible for prizes

Charlie Walsh and Tom Wilusz take over the C & D spots respectively. These scores aren't too low (usually the winners are in the high 20's) so you all have 6 weeks to beat them!

<u>News</u>

Obviously the story of the night was wind! Gino actually lobbied the prez to cancel but was firmly denied! Having arrived to the course a little before my tee time, I saw numerous tee shots go over the fence. Whoever owns that property is probably going to set up shop for used balls by midsummer! Chris Egan, who led the league off this year with a drive spot down the middle and then followed up with the standing low gross the next week, hit three drives over the fence! Although he finished with a 51 so he must have played ok the rest of the way. I'm sure many of you had issues with the wind whether it was your drives going into the woods, 2nd shots to the green being pushed back and ending up short and even putts being impacted. But there were a few good scores despite of the wind. Schwab and Dandrea took low gross for the week shooting 43s. When I say a few, they appeared to be the only ones!

There were a lot of Noahs this week which I am guessing was due to school vacation. Hopefully we won't have that problem the rest of the way.

The big news of the night was the 46 to26 spanking that Team 2 put on Team 8. This catapulted Team 2 to the top with 121 points. While the 1 on 1 matchup of the A division's Casey vs. Freeman ended up all square, they were carried by Bob Iriye and new super sub Eric Nellis taking 12.5 points off the sub combo of Paul Dube and Charlie Courser, the giggity brothers Gallagher subbing and taking 11.5 from Walsh and Coffland, and Patton and Green smoking Scott Hassan playing alone by the tune of 13-5.

Team 7 stayed in second place taking 37.5 from Team 3. And the Wind talker (e.g. complainer) actually won his match! Team 7 has won all their matches thus far and probably should cause some concern for Team 2.

But Team 3 is close behind and also will present a challenge for the lead.

And is Tim Fratus' team 6 making a move with 42 points? Their B team of Gannon and Donovan took 12.5 points in their match against Cripps and the prez Nassaney and Linskey single handedly destroyed Whittier and Duckett 15-3.

Teams 4 and 8 need to get their act together soon else they will appear as a faint image in the rear view mirror of the rest of the pack.

Under the heading of things no one wants to see, we've all noticed Harnois' depression over the golf-divorce. In an attempt to pick up Ray's spirits it has been suggested that perhaps Ray could caddy for Egan on his bye weeks. Ray is anxiously awaiting the chance to carry Chris' clubs, be his swing doctor, light his cigars and of course clean his balls. Maybe even a massage while waiting on #5?

And on things we don't want to hear, Hillenbrand showed up to the first tee looking to sub and play a round (or play around). He said he was all warmed up after playing with Fratus on the back nine. Is Chris the league fluffer?

And we are starting to wonder about Peter Lee. After his attempt on Dandrea last week with an errant shot, this week he was after the League VP, Berube, with close calls while Rick was teeing up on both #4 & #9 when Pete's errant shots came close. You'd think only a sniper could calculate the wind well enough to be so accurate!

We also heard that the popcorn machine was removed from the 19th hole since it was cutting into the food profits. Let's see if it cuts down on the drink profits now!

Notes:

For the next couple of weeks lineups need to be in: For 5/1/14, by lunchtime on Wednesday For 5/8/14, by COB on Tuesday

The handicapper will be away on Wednesday 5/7 through Tuesday 5/12. If cards need adjusting, they will have to be updated by hand, or when the handicapper gets back. Please try to adjust yourself if you can to minimize the handicappers work. Thank You.

We don't have a clean & place policy even in the fairway. We have a roll in your own fairway policy. Rolling of the ball in the fairway within a few inches is allowed using your club only. To be clear, the only place you can clean your ball is once it's on the green unless conditions are poor and you and your opponents agree before the round begins to clean and place where this only applies in the fairway. In the rough it is **NEVER** OK to fluff or clean & place a ball or to move it out of a divot. The rough is there to penalize you for not hitting the fairway. See the Etiquette and Local Rules @ http://ngloob.com/?page_id=340. If rainy or wet conditions exist, players will be notified if Lift-Clean-Place is in effect by the League President.

A reminder regarding drop situations. A good way to remember how many clubs you get in a drop situation is this: "1st one is free. The 2nd one you pay for." If you're getting free relief (e.g. cart path), you get one club length. If you're taking a penalty for something, you get 2 clubs. Remembering this will alleviate any kind of headache trying to remember how many clubs you get to use for your drop.

Captains should call/e-mail the handicapper, Pete Michno, no later than 1100 Thursday to give their line-ups. However, I'm sure the handicapper would appreciate Captains providing the line-ups earlier if you have them set. 1100 on Thursday should be the exception, not the rule.

Captains should inform all retirees and non-NUWC members on their teams to use the website for all League information.

<u>Dues – Even though the dues are</u> <u>listed in the rules, they are</u> <u>repeated here as additional</u> <u>encouragement for you to pay on</u> <u>time!</u>

League dues for NUWC employees and NUWC retirees will be \$40/year, payment received before 1 May 2014. Payment increases to \$45.00 if received after 1 May 2014. Dues for NUWC Contractors will be \$45/year, payment received before 1 May 2014. Payment increases to \$50.00 if received after 1 May 2014. Contractors/Non -NUWC employees/retirees are required to pay the additional \$5.00 per year to match the Welfare & Recreation subsidy provided for NUWC members. Members are responsible for paying their own dues. Payments can be made to Barbara Keller (Treasurer) or to any other League Official. Make checks payable to "NUWC Golf League". Cash will also be accepted. Deadline for payments is 1 May 2014. Please read the rules as there will be reduction in points penalties assessed to teams that have members who have not paid by this date. Additionally, members who do not pay by the date indicated are subject to removal as a member and will be placed on the Sub List. Their position on the Team roster will be filled by the next eligible individual on the Sub List based upon membership criteria (frequency of filling in as a sub and handicap with respect to division roster spot needing to be filled). Team Captains are encouraged to ensure all Team Members pay their dues in a timely manner.

Slow Play Watch:

I don't think it was that bad but.....Dandrea mentioned this was the first time he's played in the league where he didn't see anyone on #5 when he got there. Note to self Neal... if you don't see anyone on 5 when you get there you know you are the slow group!

<u>Joke of the Week</u>

Brothel

Earl won first prize at a Father's Day tournament which was an envelope.

When he opened the envelope, he was very surprised to find a voucher for a free visit to a brothel. He had never been to one before but he decided to go the next day even though he was very nervous.

The girls were very friendly and soon he found a lovely young lady and went with her to her room.

Five minutes later, she came running to the Madam and asked,

"Can you tell me what a Mulligan is?"

Quote of the Week

"<u>Golf</u> appeals to the idiot in us and the child. Just how childlike golf players become is proven by their frequent inability to count past five." – John Updike

Golf Cartoon of the Week



Great Picture of the Week



THAT'S ALL FOLKS



HAVE A GREAT ROUND!